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**(54) LEVEL SENSOR****(57) Abstract:**

**PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED:** To provide a level sensor by which a level can be detected without a contact, which does not generate an error even after a long-term use and whose reliability is high.

**SOLUTION:** In a sensor, a level is detected in such a way that the movement of a float arm 10 to which a float 11 is attached is detected on the basis of a change in the output of a magnetoelectric conversion element 8. In this case, a detecting body A as a magnetic body is attached to the shaft part 10a of the float arm 10, the detecting body A is magnetized by a magnet 7, the detecting body A is constituted in such a way that the distance between itself and the magnetoelectric conversion element 8 is changed according to its angle of deflection, and the movement of the detecting body A is detected by the electromagnetic conversion element 8.

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